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COVER PAGE

The pictures on the cover of this 1965 Annual Statistical Report depict several ACP practices available to farmers in Nevada.

The Gardnerville ASCS County Office provided the pictures which were taken in Douglas County.

From top to bottom the pictures show:

1. Practice C-9, Constructing Permanent Open Drainage Systems to Dispose of Excess Water.
2. Practice A-4, Treatment of Farmland to Permit the Use of Legumes and Grasses for Soil Improvement and Protection.
3. Practice C-8, Streambank or Shore Protection, Channel Clearance, Enlargement or Realinement, or Construction of Floodways, Levees or Dikes to Prevent Erosion or Flood Damage to Farmland.
4. (Lower left) Practice C-12(B), Installation of Return or Tail Water Systems to Conserve Water and/or to Prevent Erosion.
5. (Lower right) Practice A-2, Establishment of a Permanent Vegetative Cover for Soil Protection or as a Needed Land-use Adjustment.

FOREWORD

Each year the Nevada ASC State Committee publishes a summary of ASCS farm program activity in Nevada. This summary is published for the benefit of all individuals and organizations interested in the advancement of agriculture. Statistical data and narratives on all active ASCS programs including ACP practice summaries, emergency conservation measures, county summaries, wool payment program, price support, cotton program, sugarbeet program, feed grain program and the voluntary wheat program are found in this 1965 Annual Statistical Report.

An appraisal of this report will show the impact the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service has on Nevada agriculture. Through the administration of these programs, many agricultural objectives are realized. One is the contribution to the conservation of soil and water which has a beneficial effect on not only the future of Nevada agriculture, but on the future of our nation.

The State committee recognizes and takes this occasion to pay tribute to the Nevada county committeemen who have made possible the efficient administration of these agricultural programs.

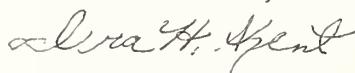
The Farmer Committee System is a unique and integral part of our organization which serves not only farmers and farm families, but all the people of our nation. We wish to acknowledge here all the cooperating agencies including the Extension Service, Soil Conservation Service, Farmers Home Administration, State Department of Agriculture, and Forest Service for their support and assistance.

THE NEVADA ASC STATE COMMITTEE



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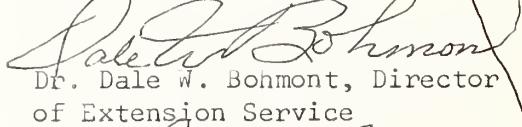
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SECTION I

1965 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM

The Agricultural Conservation Program is designed to play an important part in encouraging farmers and ranchers of the United States to carry out soil and water conservation practices. For some years now, Nevada's farm and ranch owners have contributed to the nation's agricultural conservation by utilizing all of the State allocation set aside under the National ACP for their use. Through this government-farmer partnership in conservation, Nevada farmers have constructed ditch linings for maximum water conservation, reorganized irrigation systems, leveled cropland, and improved rangelands by reseeding. Nevada has a wide variety of ranch and farm operations and all of them are able to benefit from ACP. Cattlemen benefit by cost-sharing on range seedings, sheepmen may drill livestock wells for better distribution of range stock, row-crop farmers may level fields for better utilization of water.

Not only ranches and farmers benefit by this conservation partnership, all of America gains through the conservation of soil and water for future generations.

The practices offered in this State were developed and approved by the Soil Conservation Service, U. S. Forest Service, Farmers Home Administration, Nevada State Department of Agriculture, and the Nevada ASC State Committee within the general provisions of the National Bulletin. The program offered in each county of the State was developed and approved by USDA agencies in the county. The program is flexible so each county group has the opportunity of developing one or more county practices to meet local soil and water conservation practices. One of these was to provide cost-sharing for the control of perennial noxious weeds which was causing local soil and water conservation problems.

For the 1965 program year, Nevada's share of the national ACP allocation was \$560,000. These funds were allocated to counties on the basis of conservation needs.

In 1965 the reporting period for the Agricultural Conservation Program was changed from a calendar year basis to a fiscal year basis. One report was for the short period January 1, 1965 through June 30, 1965. The second reporting period was from July 1, 1965 through June 30, 1966.

For purposes of the 1965 Annual Statistical Report, payments made from January 1, 1965 through June 30, 1966 will be combined because during the short period, January 1, 1965 through June 30, 1966, only comparatively small ACP payments were made under the 1965 ECM ACP. Most of these practice payments were later transferred to the regular ACP program.

STATE SUMMARY OF FARM DATA

COUNTY	CROPLAND ACREAGE		
	EXTENT PRACTICES PERFORMED ON PARTICIPATING FARMS	NON- PARTICIPATING FARMS	ALL FARMS
CHURCHILL	75,850	166,999	242,849
CLARK	7,407	9,213	16,620
DOUGLAS	21,811	194,766	216,577
ELKO	210,847	2,441,842	2,652,689
ESMERALDA	3,799	20,095	23,894
EUREKA	55,242	244,399	299,641
HUMBOLDT	142,364	723,428	865,792
LANDER	39,986	540,990	580,976
LINCOLN	11,536	49,595	61,131
LYON	59,942	104,888	164,830
MINERAL	1,819	317,181	319,000
NYE	24,216	70,110	94,326
ORMSBY	1,821	16,239	18,060
PERSHING	43,041	712,039	755,080
STOREY	576	5,551	6,127
WASHOE	34,109	781,156	815,265
WHITE PINE	36,517	133,796	170,313
TOTAL	770,883	6,532,287	7,303,170

STATE SUMMARY OF FARM DATA

COUNTY	NUMBER OF FARMS			FARMS PARTICIPATING ONCE 1962-1966
	PARTICI- PATING FARMS	NON- PARTICI- PATING FARMS	ALL FARMS	
CHURCHILL	103	757	860	223
CLARK	64	136	200	109
DOUGLAS	48	71	119	81
ELKO	66	308	374	119
ESMERALDA	3	37	40	7
EUREKA	9	106	115	15
HUMBOLDT	52	184	236	101
LANDER	4	81	85	9
*LINCOLN	37	113	150	81
LYON	138	225	363	244
MINERAL	4	69	73	30
NYE	7	168	175	34
ORMSBY	5	13	18	5
PERSHING	34	57	91	140
STOREY	4	8	12	4
*WASHOE	117	222	339	140
WHITE PINE	21	99	120	47
TOTAL	716	2,654	3,370	1,389

* Includes data for period January 1, 1965 - June 30, 1966

STATE SUMMARY OF
PAYMENTS MADE FOR PERFORMING CONSERVATION PRACTICES
* January 1, 1965 - June 30, 1966

COUNTY	NET ASSISTANCE BEFORE ADJUSTMENT FOR S.C.I.	AMOUNT OF ADJUSTMENT FOR SMALL COST-SHARE	GROSS ASSISTANCE TO FARMERS	GROSS ASSISTANCE AS PERCENT OF NET ASSISTANCE	AMOUNT USED FOR TECHNICAL AGREEMENTS	TOTAL GROSS ASSISTANCE
	DOLLARS	DOLLARS	DOLLARS	PERCENT	DOLLARS	DOLLARS
CHURCHILL	82,560.84	181.60	82,742.44	100	4,085.50	86,827.94
CLARK	33,051.61	-	33,051.61	100	1,572.80	34,624.41
DOUGLAS	15,929.32	283.83	16,213.15	102	1,149.25	17,362.40
ELKO	80,081.00	107.60	80,188.60	100	3,749.70	83,938.30
ESMERALDA	3,368.62	-	3,368.62	100	279.70	3,648.32
EUREKA	8,959.80	-	8,959.80	100	546.70	9,506.50
HUMBOLDT	69,183.35	56.59	69,239.94	100	2,996.10	72,236.04
JACKSON	9,210.65	-	9,210.65	100	636.70	9,847.35
LINCOLN*	42,047.00	-	42,047.00	100	1,310.00	43,357.00
LYON	77,061.65	445.44	77,507.09	101	4,681.95	82,189.04
MICRO	3,608.18	-	3,608.18	100	269.07	3,877.25
MINERAL	3,608.18	-	3,608.18	100	269.07	3,877.25
NYE	11,480.87	-	11,480.87	100	639.45	12,120.32
ORMSBY	523.24	41.34	564.58	108	104.40	668.98
PERSHING	34,356.30	73.40	34,429.70	100	2,187.00	36,616.70
STOREY	3,822.02	11.60	3,833.62	100	69.00	3,902.62
WASHOE *	60,895.00	14.00	60,909.00	100	2,044.00	62,953.00
WHITE PINE	13,297.67	109.25	13,406.92	101	825.00	14,231.92
TOTAL	549,437.68	1,324.65	550,762.33		27,146.32	577,908.09

STATE SUMMARY OF PARTICIPATING FARMS

January 1, 1965 - June 30, 1966

COUNTY	PARTICIPATING FARMS
CHURCHILL	103
CLARK	64
DOUGLAS	48
ELKO	66
ESMERALDA	3
EUREKA	9
HUMBOLDT	52
LANDE R	4
* LINCOLN	37
LYON	138
MINERAL	4
NYE	7
ORMSBY	5
PERSHING	34
* STOREY	7
* WASHOE	117
WHITE PINE	21
TOTAL	719

* Includes data for period January 1, 1965 - June 30, 1966

STATE SUMMARY OF
POOLING AGREEMENTS PERFORMED,
NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING FARMS, AND PAYMENTS MADE

COUNTY	AGREEMENTS	NET FARMS IN AGREEMENT	ASSISTANCE
	NUMBER	NUMBER	DOLLARS
CHURCHILL	1	3	2,500.00
CLARK	3	45	12,185.00
DOUGLAS	1	2	121.00
HUMBOLDT	1	2	4,025.60
LINCOLN	5	16	7,093.00
LYON	4	48	5,863.00
ORMSBY	1	3	275.00
*WASHOE	16	7,837	20,822.00
TOTAL	32	7,956	52,884.60

* Includes data for period January 1, 1965 - June 30, 1966

STATE SUMMARY OF CONSERVATION PRACTICES CARRIED OUT

REPORT NO.	PRACTICE NAME	COUNTIES (NO.)	FARMS (NO.)	EXTENT	NUMBER OF UNITS	AMOUNT (DOL\$.)	AVERAGE PER UNIT (DOL\$.)	PORTION OF TOTAL (PERCENT)
A-2 & A-4	Permanent cover	9	82	Acre	3,442	25,011	7.27	4.55
B-2	Improve. of cover on rangeland	5	28	Acre	13,981	15,962	1.14	2.91
B-3	Control competitive shrubs	6	35	Acre	13,614	29,788	2.19	5.42
B-5	Wells for livestock water	4	9	Number	11	7,838	712.54	1.43
B-6	Springs or seeps for livestock water	1	2	Number	2	448	224.00	.08
B-7	Reservoirs for livestock water	2	4	Number	7	457	65.29	.09
B-8	Other watering facilities for livestock	2	2	Number	2	2,997	1498.50	.54
B-9	Fencing to protect estab. cover	8	34	Acre	2,319	15,623	6.74	2.84
C-8	Streambank or shore protection projects	5	13	Number	13	10,601	815.46	1.93
C-9	Perm. open drainage	4	11	Acre	2,333	2,786	1.19	.51
C-12	Reorg. irrig. systems for conservation	12	108	Acre	53,910	72,454	1.34	13.19
C-12 P	Irrig. systems for conservation	4	152	Acre	17,817	30,108	1.69	5.48
C-13	Levelling	13	236	Acre	6,892	160,780	23.33	29.26
C-14	Dams, pits or ponds	4	6	Number	6	5,575	929.17	1.01
C-15	Irrig. ditch lining	6	18	Rod	2,283	28,797	12.61	5.24
C-15 P	Irrig. ditch lining	4	54	Rod	4,026	75,787	18.82	13.79
C-17	Subsoiling	5	22	Acre	1,334	7,817	5.86	1.42
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B-2	County conservation practices	5	39	Acre	4,356	4,939	1.13	.91
B-3	Practices for new conservation problems	4	22	Acre	9,652	35,891	3.71	6.53
B-3 P	Practices for new conservation problems	1	13	Acre	7,769	15,546	2.00	2.83
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G-2	Shallow water area	1	1	Acre	20	229	11.45	.04
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					549,434			100.00

STATE SUMMARY OF
ACP TECHNICAL SERVICES

The Agricultural Conservation Program helps provide technical services to ranchers and farmers in addition to sharing the cost of conservation works with them. Practices requiring the professional help of engineers, foresters, and range technicians are available in the State ACP Handbook. These technical services are paid for with ACP funds. Such technical serves in Nevada are made available through referral agreements with the Soil Conservation Service. All practices requiring the professional technical services of engineers and range technicians are assigned to the Soil Conservation Service. These technical services are paid for with ACP funds and are made available through referral agreements with the Soil Conservation Service. The assistance for each technical type practice usually consists of (1) a determination of need and practicability, (2) the stakeout or layout work, (3) supervision of the installation of the practice, and (4) a final check and report of performance.

The amount of ACP funds spent in Nevada for technical services of the Soil Conservation Service and the number of practices referred to them in each county is listed below.

COUNTY	REGULAR ACP FUNDS USED FOR TECHNICAL SERVICES	REGULAR NUMBER OF PRACTICE REFERRALS	EMERGENCY ACP FUNDS USED FOR TECHNICAL SERVICES	EMERGENCY NUMBER OF PRACTICE REFERRALS
CHURCHILL	4,085	129	-	-
CLARK	1,573	20	-	-
DOUGLAS	1,149	43	1,088	52
ELKO	3,750	39	-	-
ESMERALDA	280	15	-	-
EUREKA	547	4	-	-
HUMBOLDT	2,996	59	1,836	36
LANDER	637	11	-	-
LINCOLN	1,310	17	-	-
LYON	4,682	246	-	-
MINERAL	269	21	-	-
NYE	639	7	-	-
ORMSBY	104	4	-	-
PERSHING	2,187	43	-	-
STOREY	69	4	339	4
WASHOE	2,044	36	475	7
WHITE PINE	825	17	-	-
TOTAL	27,146	714	3,738	99

PERMANENT COVER TO PROTECT SOIL
OR ADJUST LAND USE
A-2 & A-4

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRES)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
CHURCHILL	789	8,984	19
DOUGLAS	128	1,467	10
ELKO	904	4,702	15
HUMBOLDT	114	1,237	5
LYON	215	1,892	14
ORMSBY	14	88	1
PERSHING	100	1,967	11
WASHOE	970	3,881	4
WHITE PINE	208	793	3
TOTAL	3,442	25,011	82

IMPROVEMENT OF COVER ON RANGELAND
B-2

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRES)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
DOUGLAS	59	290	1
ELKO	13,447	14,620	23
HUMBOLDT	40	201	1
LYON	85	219	1
WASHOE	350	632	2
TOTAL	13,981	15,962	28

CONTROL OF COMPETITIVE SHRUBS
ON RANGE OR PASTURE

B-3

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRES)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
DOUGLAS	59	295	1
ELKO	12,740	25,839	28
HUMBOLDT	600	2,750	2
ORMSBY	5	16	1
WASHOE	90	348	2
WHITE PINE	120	540	1
TOTAL	13,614	29,788	35

WELLS FOR LIVESTOCK WATER
FOR SOIL PROTECTION

B-5

COUNTY	EXTENT (NUMBER)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
ELKO	5	2,489	5
HUMBOLDT	1	349	1
MINERAL	3	2,500	2
WASHOE	2	2,500	1
TOTAL	11	7,838	9

SPRINGS OR SEEPS FOR LIVESTOCK WATER
FOR SOIL PROTECTION

COUNTY	EXTENT (NUMBER)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
ELKO	2	448	2
TOTAL	2	448	2

RESERVOIRS FOR LIVESTOCK WATER
FOR SOIL PROTECTION

B-7

COUNTY	EXTENT (NUMBER)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
ELKO	3	375	3
WASHOE	4	82	1
TOTAL	7	457	4

OTHER WATERING FACILITIES FOR LIVESTOCK
FOR SOIL PROTECTION

B-8

COUNTY	EXTENT (NUMBER)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
HUMBOLDT	1	497	1
WASHOE	1	2,500	1
TOTAL	2	2,997	2

FENCING TO PROTECT ESTABLISHED COVER

B-9

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRE)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
CHURCHILL	688	1,645	3
ELKO	141	9,279	16
HUMBOLDT	290	2,801	8
LINCOLN	80	90	1
LYON	740	1,045	3
ORMSBY	40	144	1
WASHOE	300	425	1
WHITE PINE	40	194	1
TOTAL	2,319	15,623	34

STREAMBANK OR SHORE PROTECTION PROJECTS

C-8

COUNTY	EXTENT (NUMBER)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
DOUGLAS	1	2,500	1
ELKO	4	2,621	4
HUMBOLDT	1	890	1
LINCOLN	3	2,800	3
LYON	4	1,790	4
TOTAL	13	10,601	13

PERMANENT OPEN DRAINAGE TO DISPOSE
OF EXCESS WATER

C-9

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRE)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
CHURCHILL	1,403	2,115	5
DOUGLAS	550	233	2
ELKO	60	72	1
LYON	320	366	3
TOTAL	2,333	2,786	11

REORGANIZING IRRIGATION SYSTEMS FOR CONSERVATION
C-12

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRE)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
CHURCHILL	5,904	6,159	34
ELKO	828	8,284	13
ESMERALDA	779	2,500	1
EUREKA	80	254	1
HUMBOLDT	11,057	20,135	30
LANDER	80	2,488	1
MINERAL	13,035	502	2
NYE	407	6,805	3
PERSHINE	10,039	9,371	37
STOREY	128	1,610	3
WASHOE	7,218	9,791	3
WHITE PINE	4,355	4,555	14
TOTAL	53,910	72,454	108

REORGANIZING IRRIGATION SYSTEMS FOR CONSERVATION
C-12
POOLING AGREEMENTS

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRE)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
CLARK	12,370	8,148	41
DOUGLAS	2,127	807	5
LYON	2,950	20,878	103
ORMSBY	370	275	3
TOTAL	17,817	30,108	152

LEVELING TO SAVE IRRIGATION WATER
AND PREVENT EROSION

C-13

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRE)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
CHURCHILL	1,789	39,962	59
CLARK	226	7,922	13
DOUGLAS	232	5,894	13
ELKO	494	10,799	11
EUREKA	378	8,705	8
HUMBOLDT	762	15,136	14
LANDER	325	6,722	3
LINCOLN	50	1,871	4
LYON	1,402	38,033	70
MINERAL	31	606	2
PERSHING	923	18,810	23
WASHOE	144	4,105	3
WHITE PINE	136	2,215	13
TOTAL	6,892	160,780	236

DAMS, PITS OR PONDS TO CONSERVE IRRIGATION WATER

C-14

COUNTY	EXTENT (NUMBER)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
ELKO	2	553	2
HUMBOLDT	1	316	1
LYON	1	1,627	1
NYE	2	3,079	2
TOTAL	6	5,575	6

IRRIGATION DITCH LINING TO PREVENT EROSION
AND LOSS OF WATER
C-15

COUNTY	EXTENT (RODS)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
DOUGLAS	33	480	1
ESMERALDA	108	569	1
HUMBOLDT	451	6,314	4
LINCOLN	667	9,934	7
PERSHING	467	4,000	2
WASHOE	130	2,500	1
WHITE PINE	427	5,000	2
TOTAL	2,283	28,797	18

IRRIGATION DITCH LINING TO PREVENT EROSION
AND LOSS OF WATER
C-15
POOLING AGREEMENTS

COUNTY	EXTENT (RODS)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
CHURCHILL	1,010	22,642	20
CLARK	97	16,980	10
LINCOLN	2,532	27,352	21
LYON	387	8,813	3
TOTAL	4,026	75,787	54

SUBSOILING FOR WATER PENETRATION AND EROSION CONTROL
C-17

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRE)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
CHURCHILL	162	863	5
DOUGLAS	64	495	3
ESMERALDA	40	300	1
HUMBOLDT	578	3,426	5
LYON	174	1,137	6
NYE	316	1,596	2
TOTAL	1,334	7,817	22

COUNTY CONSERVATION PRACTICES
F-2

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRE)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
CHURCHILL	8	191	3
DOUGLAS	4,013	3,335	31
HUMBOLDT	8	171	1
LYON	320	1,034	2
PERSHING	7	208	2
TOTAL	4,356	4,939	39

PRACTICES TO MEET NEW CONSERVATION PROBLEMS

F-3

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRE)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
DOUGLAS	40	133	1
HUMBOLDT	3,447	14,961	12
STOREY	76	2,212	3
WASHOE	6,089	18,585	6
TOTAL	9,652	35,891	22

PRACTICES TO MEET NEW CONSERVATION PROBLEMS

F-3

POOLING AGREEMENTS

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRE)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
WASHOE	7,769	15,546	13
TOTAL	7,769	15,546	13

SHALLOW WATER AREAS DEVELOPED FOR WILDLIFE
G-2

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRE)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
LYON	20	229	1
TOTAL	20	229	1

REGULAR
POOLING AGREEMENTS

COUNTY	NO. AGREEMENTS	NO. FARMS	COST-SHARES (DOLLARS)
CHURCHILL	1	3	2,500
CLARK	3	45	12,185
DOUGLAS	1	2	121
HUMBOLDT	1	2	4,026
LINCOLN	5	16	7,093
LYON	4	48	5,863
ORMSBY	1	3	275
WASHOE	3	68	5,276
TOTAL	19	187	37,339

ACP IN WATERSHED DEVELOPMENT

The provisions of Public Law 566 provide that various Federal agencies will assist local watershed sponsors in planning and carrying out watershed projects. Local sponsors of these projects may be counties, cities, soil conservation districts, or irrigation companies. The projects are multiple-purpose in nature which includes flood control, water management and various other resource-use purposes.

Besides direct agricultural benefits to farmers in a watershed, these programs provide improved vocational facilities, improved clean water supplies and a reduction in expense and land damage from erosion and floods.

The cost-sharing available under the agricultural conservation program plays an important part in the completion of Nevada watershed projects.

NAME OF WATERSHED	COUNTY	TYPE	1965 PARTICI- PATING FARMS	1965 ACP COST- SHARE
Virgin Valley	Clark	Operations	-	-
Upper Meadow Valley	Lincoln	Operations	3	\$2,788
Bishop Creek	Elko	Planning	-	-
Bruneau River	Elko	Planning	-	-
Elko	Elko	Planning	-	-
Panaca	Lincoln	Planning	2	\$3,896
Lovelock	Pershing	Planning	-	-
TOTAL			5	\$6,684

COUNTY SUMMARIES

CHURCHILL COUNTY

	Total All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	860	103	223
All Land in Farms	242,849		
Cropland	75,850		
Range and Pasture	166,999		
No. of Payees	Net Assistance \$82,561	Small Cost Increase \$182	Gross Assistance \$82,743

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost-Share	Cost-Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
A-2 &					
A-4 Perm. cover	19	789 Acre	\$ 8,984	11.39	10.88
B-9 Fencing	3	688 Acre	1,645	2.39	1.99
C-9 Perm. open drainage	5	1,403 Acre	2,115	1.51	2.56
C-12 Reorg. irrig. system	34	5,904 Acre	6,159	1.04	7.46
C-13 Leveling	59	1,789 Acre	39,962	22.34	48.40
C-15PA Irrig. ditch lining	20	1,010 Rod	22,642	22.42	27.43
C-17 Subsoiling	5	162 Acre	863	5.33	1.05
F-2 Co. Conserv. Prac.	3	8 Acre	191	23.87	.23
			\$82,561		100.00

CLARK COUNTY

	Total Farms	All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	200		64	109
All Land in Farms	16,620			
Cropland	7,407			
Range and Pasture	9,213			
No. of Payees	64	Net Assistance \$33,052	Small Cost Increase \$ -	Gross Assistance \$33,052
Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost- Share	Cost- Share Per Unit % Co. Total
C-12PA Reorg. irrig. system	41	12,370 Acre	\$ 8,148	.66 24.65
C-13 Leveling	13	226 Acre	7,922	35.05 23.97
C-15PA Irrig. ditch lining	10	97 Rod	16,980	175.05 51.38
			\$33,050	100.00

DOUGLAS COUNTY

	<u>Total All Farms</u>	<u>Participating Farms</u>	<u>Farms Participating 1962-1966</u>
Number of Farms	119	48	81
All Land in Farms	216,577		
Cropland	21,811		
Range and Pasture	192,911		
No. of Payees	Net Assistance <u>\$15,929</u>	Small Cost Increase <u>\$284</u>	Gross Assistance <u>\$16,213</u>

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost-Share	Cost-Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
A-2 &					
A-4 Perm. cover	10	128 Acre	\$ 1,467	.11.46	9.21
B-2 Improv. cover	1	59 Acre	290	4.91	1.82
B-3 Cntrl. compet. shrubs	1	59 Acre	295	5.00	1.85
C-8 Streambank	1	1 Number	2,500	2,500.00	15.69
C-9 Perm. open drainage	2	550 Acre	233	.42	1.46
C-12PA Reorg. irrig. system	5	2,127 Acre	807	.38	5.07
C-13 Leveling	13	232 Acre	5,894	25.40	37.00
C-15 Irrig. ditch lining	1	33 Rod	480	14.54	3.01
C-17 Subsoiling	3	64 Acre	495	7.73	20.94
F-2 Co. conserv. prac.	31	4,013 Acre	3,335	.83	3.11
F-3 New conserv. prac.	1	40 Acre	<u>133</u>	3.32	<u>.84</u>
			<u>\$15,929</u>		<u>100.00</u>

ELKO COUNTY

		Total All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
No. of Payees	Net Assistance	\$80,081	Small Cost Increase \$108	Gross Assistance \$79,973
A-2	Perm. cover	15	904 Acre	\$ 4,702 5.20 5.87
B-2	Improv. cover	23	13,447 Acre	14,620 1.09 18.26
B-3	Cntrl. compet. shrubs	28	12,740 Acre	25,839 2.03 32.27
B-5	Wells	5	5 Number	2,489 497.80 3.11
B-6	Springs or seeps	2	2 Number	448 224.00 .56
B-7	Reservoirs	3	3 Number	375 125.00 .47
B-9	Fencing	16	141 Acre	9,279 65.81 11.59
C-8	Streambank	4	4 Number	2,621 655.25 3.27
C-9	Perm. open drainage	1	60 Acre	72 1.20 .09
C-12	Reorg. irrig. system	13	828 Acre	8,284 10.00 10.34
C-13	Leveling	11	494 Acre	10,799 21.86 13.48
C-14	Dams, pits or ponds	2	2 Number	553 276.50 .69
			\$80,081	100.00

ESMERALDA COUNTY

	Total All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	40	3	7
All Land in Farms	23,894		
Cropland	3,799		
Range and Pasture	20,095		
No. of Payees	Net Assistance \$3,369	Small Cost Increase \$ -	Gross Assistance \$3,369

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed.	Cost-	Share Per Unit	Total
			Cost- Share	Per Unit		
C-12 Reorg. irrig. system	1	779 Acre	\$ 2,500	3.21	74.21	
C-15 Irrig. ditch lining	1	108 Rod	569	5.27	16.89	
C-17 Subsoiling	1	40 Acre	300	7.50	8.90	
			\$ 3,369			<u>100.00</u>

EUREKA COUNTY

	Total Farms	All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	115		9	15
All Land in Farms	299,641			
Cropland	55,242			
Range and Pasture	244,399			
No. of Payees <u>9</u>	Net Assistance <u>\$8,960</u>	Small Cost Increase \$ -	Gross Assistance <u>\$8,960</u>	
Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost- Share Share	Cost- Share Per Unit % Co. Total
C-12 Reorg. irrig. system	1	80 Acre	\$ 254	3.17 2.84
C-13 Leveling	8	378 Acre	<u>8,705</u>	23.03 <u>97.16</u>
			<u>\$ 8,959</u>	<u>100.00</u>

HUMBOLDT COUNTY

	Total All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	236	52	101
All Land in Farms	865,792		
Cropland	142,364		
Range and Pasture	723,428		
No. of Payees	52	Net Assistance \$69,183	Small Cost Increase \$ 57 Gross Assistance \$69,240

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost-Share	Cost-Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
A-2 Perm. cover	5	114 Acre	\$ 1,237	10.85	1.79
B-2 Improv. cover	1	40 Acre	201	5.02	.29
B-3 Cntrl. compet. shrubs	2	600 Acre	2,750	4.58	3.97
B-5 Wells	1	1 Number	349	349.00	.50
B-8 Other water facilities	1	1 Number	497	497.00	.72
B-9 Fencing	8	290 Acre	2,801	9.66	4.05
C-8 Streambank	1	1 Number	890	890.00	1.29
C-12 Reorg. irrig. system	30	11,057 Acre	20,135	1.82	29.10
C-13 Leveling	14	762 Acre	15,136	19.86	21.88
C-14 Dams, pits or ponds	1	1 Number	316	316.00	.46
C-15 Irrig. ditch lining	4	451 Rod	6,314	14.00	9.13
C-17 Subsoiling	5	578 Acre	3,426	5.93	4.95
F-2 Co. conserv. prac.	1	8 Acre	171	21.37	.25
F-3 New conserv. prac.	12	3,447 Acre	14,961	4.34	21.62
			\$69,184		100.00

LANDER COUNTY

	Total All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	85	4	9
All Land in Farms	580,976		
Cropland	39,986		
Range and Pasture	540,990		
No. of Payees	Net Assistance \$9,211	Small-Cost Increase \$ -	Gross Assistance \$ 9,211

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost- Share	Cost- Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
C-12 Reorg. irrig. system	1	80 Acre	\$2,488	31.10	27.01
C-13 Leveling	3	325 Acre	6,722	20.68	72.99
			\$9,210		100.00

LINCOLN COUNTY
(January 1, 1965 - June 30, 1966)

	Total All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	150	37	81
All Land in Farms	61,131		
Cropland	11,536		
Range and Pasture	49,595		
No. of Payees	Net Assistance \$42,047	Small Cost Increase \$ -	Gross Assistance \$42,047

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost-Share	Cost-Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
B-9 Fencing	1	80 Acre	\$ 90	1.12	.21
C-8 Streambank	3	3 Number	2,800	993.33	6.66
C-13 Leveling	4	50 Acre	1,871	37.42	4.45
C-15 Irrig. ditch lining	7	667 Rod	9,934	14.89	23.63
C-15PA Irrig. ditch lining	21	2,532 Rod	27,352	10.80	65.05
			\$42,047		100.00

LYON COUNTY

	Total All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	363	138	244
All Land in Farms	164,830		
Cropland	59,942		
Range and Pasture	104,888		
No. of Payees	Net Assistance	Small Cost Increase	Gross Assistance
138	\$77,062	\$ 445	\$77,507

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost-Share	Cost-Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
A-2 Perm. cover	14	215 Acre	\$ 1,892	8.80	2.46
B-2 Improv. cover	1	85 Acre	219	2.58	.28
B-9 Fencing	3	740 Acre	1,045	1.41	1.36
C-8 Streambank	4	4 Number	1,790	447.50	2.32
C-9 Perm. open drainage	3	320 Acre	366	1.14	.47
C-12PA Reorg. irrig. system	103	2,950 Acre	20,878	7.08	27.09
C-13 Leveling	70	1,402 Acre	38,033	27.13	49.35
C-14 Dams, pits or ponds	1	1 Number	1,627	1627.00	2.11
C-15PA Irrig. ditch lining	3	387 Rod	8,813	22.77	11.44
C-17 Subsoiling	6	174 Acre	1,137	6.53	1.48
F-2 Co. conserv. prac.	2	320 Acre	1,034	3.23	1.34
G-2 Shallow water areas	1	20 Acre	229	11.45	.30
			\$77,063		100.00

MINERAL COUNTY

	Total Farms	All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966	
Number of Farms	73		4	30	
All Land in Farms	319,000				
Cropland	1,819				
Range and Pasture	317,181				
No. of Payees	4	Net Assistance \$3,608	Small Cost Increase \$ -	Gross Assistance \$3,608	
Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost-Cost- Share Share Per Unit	Cost-Share % Co. Total	
B-5 Wells	2	3 Number	\$2,500	833.33	69.29
C-12 Reorg. irrig systems	2	13,035 Acre	502	.04	13.91
C-13 Leveling	2	31 Acre	606	19.55	16.80
			\$3,608		<u>100.00</u>

NYE COUNTY

	Total All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	175	7	34
All Land in Farms	94,326		
Cropland	24,216		
Range and Pasture	70,110		
No. of Payees	Net Assistance \$11,481	Small Cost Increase \$ -	Gross Assistance \$11,481

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost-Share	Cost-Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
C-12 Reorg. irrig. system	3	407 Acre	\$ 6,805	16.72	59.28
C-14 Dams, pits or ponds	2	2 Number	3,079	1539.50	26.82
C-17 Subsoiling	2	316 Acre	1,596	5.05	13.90
			\$11,480		100.00

ORMSBY COUNTY

	Total Farms	All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	18		5	5
All Land in Farms	18,060			
Cropland	1,821			
Range and Pasture	16,239			
No. of Payees	5	Net Assistance \$523	Small Cost Increase \$ 41	Gross Assistance \$564
Practice No. and Name		No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost- Share Cost- Share % Co. Total
A-2 Perm. cover	1	14 Acre	\$ 88	6.28 16.83
B-3 Cntrl compet. shrubs	1	5 Acre	16	3.20 3.06
B-9 Fencing	1	40 Acre	144	3.60 27.53
C-12PA Reorg. irrig. system	3	370 Acre	275	.74 52.58
			\$ 523	100.00

PERSHING COUNTY

	Total All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	91	34	140
All Land in Farms	755,080		
Cropland	43,041		
Range and Pasture	712,039		
No. of Payees	Net Assistance \$34,356	Small Cost Increase \$ 73	Gross Assistance \$34,429

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost-Share	Cost-Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
A-2 &					
A-4 Perm. cover	11	100 Acre	\$ 1,967	19.67	5.72
C-12 Reorg. irrig. system	37	10,039 Acre	9,371	.93	27.28
C-13 Leveling	23	923 Acre	18,810	20.38	54.75
C-15 Irrig. ditch lining	2	467 Rod	4,000	8.56	11.64
F-2 Co. conserv. prac.	2	7 Acre	208	29.71	.61
			\$34,356		100.00

STOREY COUNTY

	Total Farms	All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	12		4	4
All Land in Farms	6,127			
Cropland	576			
Range and Pasture	5,551			
No. of Farms	7	Net Assistance \$ 3,822	Small Cost Increase \$ 12	Gross Assistance \$ 3,834

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost- Share	Cost- Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
C-12 Reorg. irrig. system	3	128 Acre	\$ 1,610	12.58	42.12
F-3 New conserv. prac.	3	76 Acre	2,212	29.10	57.88
			\$ 3,822		100.00

WASHOE COUNTY
(January 1, 1965 - June 30, 1966)

	Total All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farms	339	117	140
All Land in Farms	815,265		
Cropland	34,109		
Range and Pasture	781,156		
No. of Payees	Net Assistance \$60,895	Small Cost Increase \$ 14	Gross Assistance \$60,881

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost-Cost-Share	Cost-Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
A-2 &					
A-4 Perm. cover	4	970 Acre	\$ 3,881	4.00	6.38
B-2 Improv. cover	2	350 Acre	632	1.81	1.04
B-3 Cntrl. compet. shrubs	2	90 Acre	348	3.87	.57
B-5 Wells	1	2 Number	2,500	1250.00	4.10
B-7 Reservoirs	1	4 Number	82	20.50	.14
B-8 Other water facilities	1	1 Number	2,500	2500.00	4.10
B-9 Fencing	1	300 Acre	425	1.42	.70
C-12 Reorg. irrig. system	3	7,218 Acre	9,791	1.36	16.08
C-13 Leveling	3	144 Acre	4,105	28.51	6.74
C-15 Irrig. ditch lining	1	130 Rod	2,500	19.23	4.10
F-3 New conserv. prac.	6	6,089 Acre	18,585	3.05	30.52
F-3PA New conserv. prac.	13	7,769 Acre	15,546	2.00	25.53
			\$60,895		100.00

WHITE PINE COUNTY

	Total Farms	All Farms	Participating Farms	Farms Participating 1962-1966
Number of Farm	120		21	47
All Land in Farms	170,313			
Cropland	36,517			
Range and Pasture	133,796			
No. of Payees	21	Net Assistance \$13,298	Small Cost Increase \$109	Gross Assistance \$13,407

Practice No. and Name	No. of Farms	Extent	Fed. Cost-Share	Cost-Share Per Unit	% Co. Total
A-2 Perm. cover	3	208 Acre	\$ 793	3.81	5.96
B-3 Cntrl. compet. shrubs	1	120 Acre	540	4.50	4.06
B-9 Fencing	1	40 Acre	194	4.85	1.46
C-12 Reorg. irrig. system	14	4,355 Acre	4,555	1.05	34.26
C-13 Leveling	13	136 Acre	2,215	16.29	16.66
C-15 Irrig. ditch lining	2	427 Rod	5,000	11.71	37.60
			\$13,297		100.00

SECTION II

1965 EMERGENCY CONSERVATION PROGRAM

January 1, 1965 - June 30, 1966

The regular agricultural conservation program is supplemented by Public Law 85 - 58, an appropriation act, which provides additional funds for areas suffering from natural disasters. These funds enable the Secretary of Agriculture to make payments to farmers who perform emergency conservation practices on farmland damaged by flood, fire, earthquake or drouth.

Emergency conservation practices were authorized in four Nevada counties in 1965. Flood damage amounting to thousands of dollars necessitated emergency conservation work in Douglas, Humboldt, Storey and Washoe counties.

Ranchers receiving cost-shares under the 1965 Emergency Conservation Program were able to begin work immediately to restore their lands productivity.

The following page indicates the amount of work accomplished under the 1965 Emergency Conservation Program.

EMERGENCY CONSERVATION MEASURES
F-4

COUNTY	EXTENT (ACRES TREATED)	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARE (DOLLARS)	NUMBER OF PAYEES
DOUGLAS	8,857	24,870	50
HUMBOLDT	7,438	23,621	25
STOREY	43	1,780	1
*WASHOE	1,551	28,717	10
TOTAL	17,889	78,988	86

* Includes data for period January 1, 1965 - June 30, 1966

ECM POOLING AGREEMENTS
F-4

COUNTY	AMOUNT OF COST-SHARES (DOLLARS)	NET NUMBER AGREEMENTS	NET NO. FARMS
DOUGLAS	5,192	10	32
HUMBOLDT	5,000	1	2
WASHOE	4,216	4	52
TOTAL	14,408	15	86

SECTION III

1965 WOOL INCENTIVE PAYMENT PROGRAM

The National Wool Act of 1954, as amended provides for the incentive payment program on shorn wool and unshorn lambs. Under this Act wool is recognized as an essential and strategic commodity which is not produced in sufficient quantity in the United States. In order to promote the general economic welfare of this country, the policy of Congress is to encourage an annual domestic production of around 300 million pounds of shorn wool. Production is about 240 million pounds annually at the present time. As is true nationally, Nevada wool production has gradually dropped over the past few years.

The rate of payment for wool is the percentage required to bring the national average market price received by all producers up to the announced support level of 62 cents per pound. The national average market price for wool in 1965 was 47.1 cents per pound on a grease basis.

The summaries on the following pages show the 1965 calendar year incentive payments made to producers of shorn wool, unshorn lamb sales and the net proceeds after promotion fund deductions.

SHORN WOOL PROGRAM FOR 1965 MARKETING YEAR

COUNTY PRODUCERS	WEIGHT OF WOOL SOLD		HEAD SHORN PROCEEDS	NET PROCEEDS	INCENTIVE PAYMENT EARNED	PROMOTION DEDUCTION	NET PAYMENT
	NO.	POUNDS					
CHURCHILL	15	39,562	3,784	\$ 16,795.12	\$ 5,307.26	\$ 395.62	\$ 4,911.64
CLARK	2	949	100	357.76	113.05	9.49	103.56
DOUGLAS	23	135,466	13,495	58,087.81	18,355.73	1,354.66	17,001.07
EIKO	43	686,397	72,429	315,865.53	99,813.51	6,863.97	92,949.54
ESMERALDA	1	429	40	188.76	59.65	4.29	55.36
EUREKA	4	42,930	4,524	18,824.78	5,948.63	429.30	5,519.33
*HUMBOLDT	12	98,977	10,136	41,405.83	12,372.55	930.46	11,442.09
LANDER	5	37,779	4,298	17,244.17	5,449.16	377.79	5,071.37
LINCOLN	3	547	41	225.88	71.38	5.47	65.91
LYON	40	130,314	16,986	53,653.17	16,954.37	1,303.14	15,651.23
MINERAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NYE	8	5,423	521	2,324.66	734.58	54.23	680.35
ORMSBY	3	56,482	4,875	23,487.98	7,422.21	564.82	6,857.39
PERSHING	7	40,228	4,281	17,333.36	5,477.34	402.28	5,075.06
STOREY	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WASHOE	13	45,960	5,578	20,940.03	6,617.08	459.60	6,157.48
WHITE PINE	28	4664,806	48,939	212,088.77	67,020.04	4,648.06	62,371.98
TOTAL	207	1,786,249	190,027	\$798,823.61	\$251,716.54	\$17,803.18	\$233,913.36

*Less unshorn
lambs purchased

$\frac{5,931}{1,780,318}$

UNSHORN LAMB PROGRAM FOR 1965 MARKETING YEAR

PRODUCERS COUNTY	NO. POUNDS	WEIGHT OF LAMBS SOLD	LAMBS SOLD NO.	INCENTIVE PAYMENT EARNED	PROMOTION DEDUCTION	DOLLARS	DOLLARS	NET PAYMENT
*CHURCHILL	10	1,023,848	9,876	\$ 1,705.37	\$ 142.11	\$ 1,563.26		
CLARK	1	1,290	19	7.74	,64	7.10		
*DOUGLAS	20	475,227	5,064	2,836.24	236.35	2,599.89		
ELKO	25	4,234,450	47,328	25,406.70	2,117.22	23,289.48		
ESMERALDA	-	-	-	-	-	-		
EUREKA	2	230,715	2,879	1,384.29	115.36	1,268.93		
HUMBOLDT	3	132,765	1,657	796.59	66.38	730.21		
LANDER	1	212,300	2,405	1,273.80	106.15	1,167.65		
LINCOLN	-	-	-	-	-	-		
LYON	30	667,815	6,474	4,006.89	333.91	3,672.98		
MINERAL	-	-	-	-	-	-		
NYE	2	16,365	198	98.19	8.18	90.01		
ORMSBY	3	350,570	3,597	2,103.42	175.28	1,928.14		
PERSHING	1	238,355	2,873	1,430.13	119.18	1,310.95		
STOREY	-	-	-	-	-	-		
WASHOE	6	520,332	6,129	3,121.99	260.16	2,861.83		
WHITE PINE	18	1,606,160	19,171	9,636.96	803.08	8,833.88		
TOTAL	122	9,710,192	107,670	\$53,808.31	\$4,484.00	\$49,324.31		

* Less weight of
lambs purchased

$$\frac{-742,140}{3,968,052}$$

CALIFORNIA COUNTIES
SHORN WOOL PROGRAM FOR 1965 MARKETING YEAR

COUNTY	PRODUCERS	WEIGHT OF WOOL SOLD	HEAD SHORN	NET PROCEEDS	INCENTIVE PAYMENT EARNED	PROMOTION DEDUCTION	NET PAYMENT
							DOLLARS
ALPINE	3	1,129	126	485.07	153.28	11.29	141.99
INYO	10	40,377	3,838	17,764.88	5,613.70	403.77	5,209.93
MONO	4	44,172	4,285	18,265.64	5,771.94	441.72	5,330.22
TOTAL	17	85,678	8,249	36,515.59	11,538.92	856.78	10,682.14

UNSHORN LAMB PROGRAM FOR 1965 MARKETING YEAR

COUNTY	PRODUCERS	WEIGHT OF LAMBS SOLD	LAMBS SOLD	INCENTIVE PAYMENT EARNED	PROMOTION DEDUCTION	NET PAYMENT
						DOLLARS
ALPINE	4	10,805	107	64.83	5.40	59.43
INYO	2	349,145	3,403	2,094.87	174.57	1,920.30
MONO	4	171,103	1,833	1,026.62	85.55	941.07
TOTAL	10	531,053	5,343	3,186.32	265.52	2,920.80

SECTION IV

1965 PRICE SUPPORT AND FARM STORAGE FACILITY LOANS

PRICE SUPPORT

Any operation of the USDA designed to stabilize the price and production of a farm commodity is termed a price support program. The main purpose of a price support program is to stabilize production, protect farm income, and reduce surplus. Price support may be obtained in various ways depending on the commodity, loans and purchase agreements in the case of feed grains, wheat and cotton or direct payments for wool.

Nevada has very little activity in price support programs other than wool. Three farmers in three counties farm stored wheat under the 1965 program.

COUNTY	EXTENT	AMT. OF LOAN	AMT. OF LOAN UNPAID
CHURCHILL	11,340 lbs.	\$ 1,306.80	\$ 0
EUREKA	2,655 bu.	3,186.00	0 *
HUMBOLDT	1,927 bu.	1,445.25	1,445.25
	42,500 bu.	51,000.00	51,000.00
TOTAL	-	\$56,938.05	\$52,445.25

* Resealed

FARM STORAGE FACILITY LOANS

To encourage good farm storage facilities, Commodity Credit Corporation makes loans to farmers through county ASCS offices. Such loans may be for 90% of the cost of the erected structures and are repayable in four annual installments over a 5-year period. These loans carry 4% interest per annum on the unpaid balance. These structures must be located on the farm or land on which the borrower has control for the time of the loan. Farm storage facility loans are secured by a chattel mortgage or deeds of trust. Nevada farmers have used these loans extensively in the past. Recently there has been a decline in Nevada's farm storage facility loan program. Eligibility requirements are a little more restrictive; however, the availability of good storage on the farm is a valuable asset to the grower in the orderly marketing of his grain.

In 1965 there were no farm storage facility loans disbursed in Nevada. There were three loans which were made in prior years still outstanding during 1965.

SECTION V

1965 COTTON ALLOTMENTS AND MARKETING QUOTAS

Each year cotton producers vote in a referendum to determine if quotas will be in effect for the proceeding year. The results of the referendum held on December 15, 1964 showed 13 producers voting out of a possible 19. Eleven producers voted in favor of marketing quotas and two voted against. The Nevada vote was 84.61% in favor of marketing quotas for 1965.

All allotment crops planted must be measured by ASCS personnel. Each producer is notified of his exact acreage after measurement. Any excess cotton acreage must be eliminated within 15 days after notification. In 1965 there was no excess cotton acreage or no marketing quota penalties in Nevada.

COUNTY	COUNTY ALLOTMENT	NUMBER OF ALLOTMENTS	NO. OF EXCESS FARMS
CLARK	101	4	0
NYE	3,421	14	0
TOTAL	3,522	18	0

DOMESTIC ALLOTMENT PROGRAM

When the Agricultural Act of 1964 was enacted it provided a new cotton program for 1964 and 1965. The new legislation provided that a domestic allotment be determined for each cotton farm. The domestic allotment for each farm is equal to the farms percentage of the national domestic allotment. The national domestic allotment represents the acreage of cotton which at normal yields could be expected to produce the cotton needed for domestic consumption in the United States in one year. The acreage determined in this manner is then converted to a percentage of the national allotment. For 1965 this percentage was determined to be 65%. This percentage was used in determining the farm domestic allotment. Domestic allotments were placed at 65% of the regular farm allotment. As provided in the Agricultural Act of 1964, no domestic allotment could be smaller than 15 acres or the regular farm allotment.

County committees established a normal yield per acre for each cotton farm. These normal yields were then used to compute the additional price support payments for producers who grew cotton within their farm domestic allotments. For 1965 the additional price support payment rate was set at 4.35 cents per pound. This rate (4.35 cents) per pound multiplied by the farm normal yield per acre provided the additional price support payment per acre. The normal yield times the number of acres planted for harvest equaled the number of pounds of cotton on which the additional price support payment for the 1965 domestic cotton was made. After deciding which allotment he would use, the regular farm allotment or the domestic allotment, the grower then planted on that basis. If a grower chose to plant within his domestic allotment,(all did in Nevada) he signed his Intention to Participate in the county office. By staying within the domestic allotment, the grower was eligible for the additional price support payment and he was eligible for a price support loan for his entire production. The loan rate was based on 29 cents per pound for middling one-inch cotton at average location.

Had a grower chose to plant his regular farm allotment, he would not have signed up in the program. The producer then would not have been eligible for the additional price support but he would have been eligible for a price support loan.

COUNTY	ACREAGE ON WHICH PAYMENT EARNED	PAYMENT EARNED	AVE. PMT. PER ACRE
CLARK	45	\$ 1,569.00	35.00
NYE	1,087	40,251.00	37.00
TOTAL	1,132	\$41,820.00	36.94

SECTION VI

1965 SUGARBEET PROGRAM

This report covers the production of 1965 sugarbeets in Nevada. It consists of tables containing statistical information for three counties having sugarbeet acreage, the production obtained and the payments made to producers under the Sugar Act of 1948 as amended.

The purpose of the Sugar Act of 1948 is to maintain a healthy, competitive sugarbeet industry, to assure adequate sugar supplies for consumers at reasonable prices and to promote a general export trade.

The Secretary of Agriculture must determine how much sugar will be needed by the United States each year. The Secretary must then determine whether to increase or decrease the quantity of sugar that may be marketed in order to achieve a fair and reasonable price.

A function of the Sugar Act is to promote orderly marketing. Orderly marketing is accomplished by controlling the amount of sugar that can be marketed. When it is deemed necessary the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to establish quotas for each processor in order to promote orderly marketing. In establishing quotas, it is sometimes necessary to provide proportionate shares limiting the acreage of sugarbeets which can be grown in order to avoid producing too much sugar. Proportionate shares were established on the 1965 sugarbeet crop.

Sugarbeet producers received conditional payments which varied with the volume of recoverable sugar produced. These payments were based on the national rate for recoverable sugar, which is eighty cents per cwt. recoverable value. The objectives in making these conditional payments are:

1. To help provide an adequate income to producers.
2. To assure growers and field workers a fair share of returns.
3. To prevent employment of child labor in field work.

1965 SUGARBEET PROGRAM

COUNTY	NUMBER OF FARMS	NUMBER OF PAYEES	PLANTED ACRES	HARVESTED ACRES	BEETS MARKETED (TONS)	RECOVERABLE SUGAR (CWT.)
CHURCHILL	10	10	444.8	320.9	4,628.7	13,304.9
PERSHING	5	5	1,109.5	1,053.7	19,479.8	53,402.9
WASHOE	3	3	658.0	371.8	2,924.2	8,064.5
TOTAL	18	18	2,212.3	1,746.4	27,032.7	74,772.3
BONA FIDE ABANDONED		DEFICIENCY		TOTAL SUGAR FOR PAYMENT (CWT.)		
COUNTY	NO. FARMS	ACRES	FARM CWT.	NET PAYMENT (DOLLARS)	CHILD LABOR (DOLLARS)	
CHURCHILL	5	123.9	2 552.9	15,765.1	12,612.08	-
PERSHING	2	55.8	- -	54,274.4	41,247.13	-
WASHOE	2	286.2	- -	10,640.3	8,512.24	-
TOTAL	9	465.9	2 552.9	80,679.8	62,371.45	-

SECTION VII

1965 FEED GRAIN PROGRAM

Public Law 88-26 authorized a feed grain program for 1965. As in previous years, the 1965 Feed Grain Program provided feed grain producers an opportunity to voluntarily cooperate with the Federal government in reducing the supply of feed grains.

Farmers who produced feed grains in the base period (1959-1960) had a base computed for their farm in 1965. In order to take part in the 1965 Feed Grain Program a farmer had to agree to take out of production at least 20% of his total feed grain base. A maximum of 25 acres or 50% of the base acreage (whichever was larger) could be taken out of production for diversion payment. All acreage diverted from feed grain production (barley, corn and grain sorghum) had to be devoted to a conserving use.

The 1965 Feed Grain Program was designed to:

1. Raise farm income by assuring fair prices for feed grain producers and by providing a basis for stability of livestock prices.
2. Continue to reduce the national carry-over of feed grains toward the national goal of 45-50 million ton.
3. Reduce program costs to the taxpayer by reducing storage costs. These producers participating in the program were eligible for diversion and price support payments and price support loans on their 1965 feed grain production.

All producers participating in the 1965 Feed Grain Program were assured of a reasonable income for the acreage taken out of production through diversion and price support payments.

DIVERSION DATA

COUNTY	PARTICI-PATING FARMS	BARLEY DIVERTED ACREAGE	CORN DIVERTED ACREAGE	GRAIN SORGHUM DIVERTED ACREAGE	DIVERSION PAYMENTS
CHURCHILL	19	252	182	-	11,943
DOUGLAS	1	4	-	-	34
ELKO	2	44	-	-	561
ESMERALDA	1	25	-	-	424
HUMBOLDT	19	289	169	75	10,762
LINCOLN	1	-	10	-	415
LYON	6	128	55	-	4,885
WASHOE	3	90	-	-	1,876
WHITE PINE	2	66	44	-	1,530
TOTAL	54	898	460	75	32,430

PRICE SUPPORT PAYMENT DATA

COUNTY	NO. OF FARMS PARTICIPATING		NO. OF ACRES		AMT. OF PAYMENT		
	CORN	BARLEY	CORN	BARLEY	CORN	BARLEY	TOTAL
CHURCHILL	3	6	99	228	1,213	1,680	2,893
DOUGLAS	-	1	-	12	-	83	83
HUMBOLDT	1	8	27	179	219	870	1,089
WHITE PINE	1	2	73	188	706	1,022	1,728
TOTAL	5	17	199	607	2,138	3,655	5,793

SECTION VIII

1965 WHEAT PROGRAM

The 1965 Wheat Program was designed to encourage the maximum number of farmers possible to participate in the program. The program was entirely voluntary in nature. It offered producers a variety of choices in participating. The purpose of the 1965 Wheat Program was to:

1. Maintain wheat producers income.
2. Reduce surplus.
3. Keep government costs to a minimum.

Payments were made to producers who diverted wheat acreage to a conserving use. The minimum diversion was 11.11% of the wheat allotment. The maximum acreage that could be offered for diversion was 20% of the farm allotment.

Farms having allotments of 13.5 acres or less were allowed to divert the entire allotment.

Eligible participating producers received domestic payments equal to 75 cents a bushel on 45% of the farms normal yield. Producers were also eligible for export certificate payments worth 30 cents a bushel on 45% of their farms normal yield.

Price support loans were available on a farms entire production. All participating farmers were assured of a reasonable income on the acreage taken out of production through diversion and price support payments.

1965 WHEAT PROGRAM

COUNTY	NO. WHEAT FARMS	TOTAL ALLOTMENT	NO. FARMS PARTICI- PATING	ALLOTMENT ON FARMS PARTICI- PATING	ACREAGE IN WHICH DIVERSION PAYMENT EARNED	DIVERSION PAYMENT EARNED	PRICE
							SUPPORT CERTIFICATE PAYMENT
CHURCHILL	101	1,665	14	614	10	223	9,599
CLARK	10	62	-	-	-	-	-
DOUGLAS	26	181	3	39	34	601	-
ELKO	40	1,042	4	472	17	170	7,057
ESMERALDA	2	22	-	-	-	-	-
EUREKA	25	2,151	11	1,638	53	693	15,995
HUMBOLDT	62	4,597	46	4,214	813	17,934	62,677
LANDER	9	422	-	-	-	-	-
LINCOLN	3	24	-	-	-	-	-
LYON	66	717	-	-	-	-	-
MINERAL	4	31	-	-	-	-	-
NYE	33	600	2	150	-	-	2,790
ORMSBY	1	9	-	-	-	-	-
PERSHING	49	3,854	7	2,385	-	-	45,517
WASHOE	18	679	4	299	60	1,060	3,879
WHITE PINE	18	119	2	24	14	236	112
TOTAL	467	16,175	93	9,835	1,001	20,917	147,626

SECTION IX
ACREAGE DETERMINATIONS

COMPLIANCE

The measurement of all acreage under the cotton, feed grain, wheat and sugarbeet programs is a major responsibility of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. Reporters, or part-time employees, are hired at the county level to accomplish this measurement work. Usually measurement is completed between May 15th and July 15th each year. Each participating producer is notified of his exact acreage after measurement. Any excess acreage had to be eliminated within 15 days of notification. County personnel who accomplish this big job each year are to be commended for the excellent results they achieve in a relatively short period of time.

NAME OF CROP	NO. FARMS ON WHICH ACREAGE DETERMINED	NO. FARMS VISITED	NO. FARMS FOR WHICH ACREAGE ACCEPTED IN LIEU OF FARM VISIT	PERCENTAGE OF COMPLETION	ACREAGE DETERMINATION COMPLETED FOR FARMS VISITED	NO. NOTICES OF EXCESS OR DEFICIENCY MAILED
Cotton	17	17	-	100	-	5
Wheat & Feed Grain	136	136	-	100	-	8
Sugar	18	18	-	100	-	-
TOTAL	171	171	-	100	-	13

AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY

Most county offices in the State maintain aerial photographs covering cropland in the county. These photographs are to a scale of 1" - 660' and are used in making acreage determinations.

In 1965 one county was flown to provide new up-to-date photographs for acreage determinations. Usually new aerial photographs are provided every six years to keep county offices up-to-date with field changes and provide a simple method of acreage determinations.

